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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

In re Application of Jochen Hummel et al.

Application Number 09/071,900 Filed May 4, 1998

For Method and Apparatus for Processing Source Information Based
on Source Placeable Elements

Art Unit 2654 Examiner P. Edouard

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$55.

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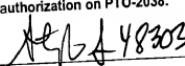
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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 55

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

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Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
		1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
		1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
		1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification
		1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination
		1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
		1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
		1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month
		1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month
		1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month
		1254	1,400	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month
		1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month
		1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal
		1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
		1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing
		1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
		1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavailable
		1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional
		1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)
		1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee
		1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee
		1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
		1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(d)
		1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
		8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment or property (times number of properties)
		1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))
		1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))
		1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
		1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application
		Other fee (specify) _____				

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